

STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF
THE APPLICATION FOR REINSTATEMENT OF

ALAN E. REED, Jr., M.D.,

Applicant

ORDER DENYING REQUEST AND RENEWING THE LICENSE

On February 6, 1990, the Medical Examining Board issued its Order in the above-captioned matter. By the terms of the board's order, Dr. Reed's license to practice medicine and surgery in Wisconsin was reinstated with limitations. Among these were that Dr. Reed's entire practice be under the supervision of Basil Jackson, M.D., Ph.D.; that Dr. Reed enroll in the impaired professional program at either Elmbrook Memorial Hospital or at Mt. Sinai Medical Center; and that Dr. Reed participate in psychotherapy if recommended by his addictionologist. The term of the license was for one year.

Dr. Reed appeared before the board at its meeting of January 23, 1991, in support of his application for renewal of his license, and to request that the limitations on his license be dropped. The board on that date renewed the license for two years but denied the petition to terminate the limitations on the license.

Dr. Reed, with his attorney, Bruce F. Ehlke, appeared before the board on February 19, 1992, pursuant to the board's February 12, 1991, Order, and was ordered to appear again at the board's August, 1992, meeting.

By letter dated April 10, 1992, Dr. Reed, by Attorney Ehlke, petitioned the board to expand the scope of the limited license to permit him to practice at the Jackson Psychiatric Center's new satellite office in Burlington, Wisconsin.

Dr. Reed and Mr. Ehlke appeared at the board's meeting of April 29, 1992, in support of the petition. At that time, an oral request was made that Dr. Reed also be permitted to practice at DePaul Psychiatric Hospital, Wisconsin. Dr. Reed also discussed the possibility that he be permitted to practice at the automobile races at Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin; that he be permitted to act as a liaison psychiatrist to various law enforcement agencies; and that he be permitted to engage Jose Palisoc, M.D., as his primary physician. By its Order dated May 13, 1992, the board granted Dr. Reed's

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petition in part, permitting him to practice at the Jackson Psychiatric Center's satellite offices in Burlington, Wisconsin, and at DePaul Rehabilitation Hospital, Milwaukee, only at such times as Basil Jackson, M.D., is present in those facilities.

By letter dated June 10, 1992, Dr. Reed, by Attorney Ehlke, requested that the board's Order be modified to permit practice at the satellite clinic and at DePaul under general rather than direct supervision of Dr. Jackson. The board considered the request at its meeting of June 24, 1992. and denied the request by its Order dated July 6, 1992.

Pursuant to the board's May 13, 1992, Order, Dr. Reed appeared before the board in support of renewal of his license on June 23, 1993. At that time, Dr. Reed requested that all limitations on his license be dropped, and presented letters from Drs. Jackson and Rohr in support of the request. The board considered the request on that date.

Based upon Dr. Reed's request, and upon all other information of record herein, the board orders as follows:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the request of Dr. Alan Reed, Jr. that all limitations on his license be terminated be, and hereby is, denied.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Dr. Reed's license is renewed for a period of one year. Dr. Reed shall appear in one year in support of renewal of the license.

DISCUSSION

While the letters of Drs. Jackson and Rohr were quite unequivocal in recommending that limitations on Dr. Reed's license be terminated, it is only Dr. Reed, who indicated that the request did not originate with him, who must bear ultimate responsibility for convincing the board that limitations are no longer necessary. Following Dr. Reed's appearance on June 23, the board was left with substantial concerns with his readiness to practice without any limitations whatever, and that request must therefore be denied

Dated this 1 day of July, 1993.

STATE OF WISCONSIN MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

by


Clark O. Olsen, M.D., Secretary